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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

TEOFILO MARTINEZ GRANADOS,)	CASE NO. 8:08-cv-03140
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	CONSENT TO EXERCISE OF
)	JURISDICTION BY A UNITED
DAVID MATHIAS BOWMAN and)	STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
WESTERN EXPRESS, INC.,)	AND ORDER OF REFERENCE
)	
Defendants.)	

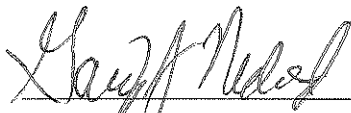
CONSENT TO EXERCISE OF JURISDICTION BY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73, the parties in this case hereby voluntarily consent to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including the trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Any appeal shall be taken to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

Signature of Attorney or Party

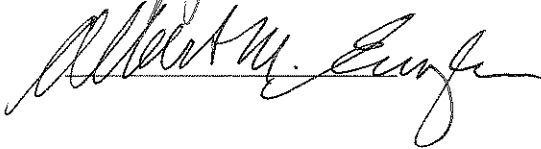
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For Plaintiff

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For Defendants

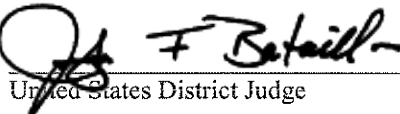
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ORDER OF REFERENCE

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this case be referred to the Honorable Thomas D. Thalken, United States Magistrate Judge, for all further proceedings, a trial by jury, and the entry of judgment in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), Fed. R. Civ. P. 73, and the foregoing consent of the parties.

1/14/2009

Date



United States District Judge

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